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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

11036

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Kent Registration Dist. No. 243  
 Village or City Rock Hall No. \_\_\_\_\_ St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_  
 (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)  
 Length of residence in city or town where death occurred \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. How long in U.S. If of foreign birth? \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

Annae Alexander  
 (a) Residence: No. Rock Hall St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward. \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Usual place of abode) If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX <u>Female</u>	4. COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word) <u>widowed</u>
5a. If married, widowed, or divorced HUSBAND of (or) WIFE of <u>Abraham Alexander</u>		
6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) <u>March 4 1857</u>		
7. AGE Years <u>81</u>	Months <u>6</u>	Days <u>21</u>
		If LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. _____ min.
OCCUPATION	8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc. <u>Housework</u>	
	9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc. _____	
	10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year) <u>1900</u>	
	11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation <u>life</u>	

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Germany  
 (State or country)

FATHER 13. NAME Morris Levi

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Germany  
 (State or country)

MOTHER 15. MAIDEN NAME unknown

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) \_\_\_\_\_  
 (State or country)

17. INFORMANT Mat Alexander  
 (Address) Rock Hall

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL  
 Place Balto Helms Date Oct 29 1932

19. UNOERTAKER Wm H Good  
 (Address) Church Hill

20. FILED 10-25 1932 B. Trend Durdin  
 Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH October 25, 1932  
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from Feb 19, 1931, to Oct 24, 1932  
 I last saw him alive on Oct 24, 1932; death is said to have occurred on the date stated above, at 4 P. m.  
 The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

acute  
General Peritonitis  
 Date of onset Feb 19 1931

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Cerebral Thrombosis Oct 1932

Name of operation \_\_\_\_\_ Date of \_\_\_\_\_

What test confirmed diagnosis? \_\_\_\_\_ Was there an autopsy? \_\_\_\_\_

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? \_\_\_\_\_ Date of injury \_\_\_\_\_, 1932

Where did injury occur? \_\_\_\_\_

(Specify city or town, county and State)  
 Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury \_\_\_\_\_

Nature of injury \_\_\_\_\_

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify (Signed) Frank Smith M. D.  
 (Address) Chesapeake

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Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

*Arteriosclerosis*

Date of onset

*1915*

*Chronic interstitial nephritis*

*1921*

*Cerebral hemorrhage*

*July 5, 1927*

Other contributory causes of importance:

*Gallstones*

*May 1, 1923*

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

*Attack of epilepsy*

Date of onset

*1 week ago*

*Run over by street car*

*1 week ago*

*Peritonitis*

*3 days ago*

Other contributory causes of importance:

*Gastroenteritis*

*1 year*

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN



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**Statement of Cause of Death**—Name, first, the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH (the primary affection with respect to time and causation), using always the same accepted term for the same disease. Examples: (*Cerebrospinal fever* (the only definite synonym is "Epidemic cerebrospinal meningitis"); *Diphtheria* avoid use of "Croup"); *Typhoid fever* never report "Typhoid Pneumonia"); *Lobar pneumonia, Bronchopneumonia* ("Pneumonia,"

unqualified, is indefinite; *Tuberculosis of lungs, meninges, peritoneum, etc., Carcinoma, Sarcoma, etc., of . . . . .* (name origin; "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Measles; Whooping cough; Chronic valvular heart disease; Chronic interstitial nephritis, etc.* The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Measles* (disease causing death), 29 ds.; *Bronchopneumonia* (secondary), 10 ds. Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthenia," "Anaemia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Haemorrhage," "Inanition," "Marasmus," "Old Age," "Shock," "Uræmia," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage as "PUERPERAL septicaemia," "PUERPERAL peritonitis," etc. State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. FOR VIOLENT DEATHS state MEANS OF INJURY and qualify as ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL, or as probably such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning; Struck by running train—accident; Revolver wound of head—homicide; Poisoned by carbonic acid—probably suicide.* The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis, tetanus*) may be stated under the head of "contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)

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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Kent Registration Dist. No. 2  
 Village or City Betterton No. main st St. 7 Ward  
 (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)  
 Length of residence in city or town where death occurred 44 yrs. mos. ds. How long in U.S. if of foreign birth? 60 yrs. mos. ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

Frank G. Bowman  
 (a) Residence: No. main St. 3 Ward. If nonresident give city or town and State  
 (Usual place of abode)

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX male 4. COLOR OR RACE White 5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word) single

5e. If married, widowed, or divorced  
 HUSBAND of  
 (or) WIFE of

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) May 1 1877

7. AGE Years Months Days If LESS then  
60 5 19 1 day, hrs. min.

8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BDDKEEPER, etc. Painter  
 9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc.  
 10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year) 1925 11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation 25 yrs

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Chertstown  
 (State or country) Maryland

13. NAME William H Bowman

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) State of Delaware  
 (State or country)

15. MAIDEN NAME

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Octavo Spegas  
 (State or country) Maryland

17. INFORMANT William Bowman  
 (Address) Betterton Md.

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL  
 Place Still Pond Date Oct 22, 1932

19. UNDERTAKER W. B. Fellows  
 (Address) Still Pond Md.

20. FILED Oct 22, 1932 J. McLean  
 Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

Oct 20, 1932  
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY That I attended deceased from Oct 19th, 1932, to Oct 20, 1932

I last saw him alive on Oct 20, 1932; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at 12:30 P. m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

Date of onset

Complication of Diabetes

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Tuberculosis

Name of operation none Date of  
 What test confirmed diagnosis? none Was there an autopsy? no

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? Date of injury, 19

Where did injury occur? (Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

(Signed) L. P. Ahrell M. D.  
 (Address) Still Pond

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Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
<i>Arteriosclerosis</i>	<i>1915</i>
<i>Chronic interstitial nephritis</i>	<i>1921</i>
<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>
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Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>
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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Kent  
Village or City Chesterton

Registration Dist. No. 202

No. \_\_\_\_\_ St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_  
(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)  
Length of residence in city or town where death occurred \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. How long in U. S. if of foreign birth? \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No. \_\_\_\_\_

High  
(Usual place of abode)

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_

If nonresident give city or town and State \_\_\_\_\_

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX <u>m</u>	4. COLOR OR RACE <u>w</u>	5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word) <u>married</u>
5a. If married, widowed or divorced, HUSBAND of (or) WIFE of <u>Barthemy Carter</u>		
6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) <u>Oct 1 1852</u>		
7. AGE <u>80</u>	Years _____ Months _____ Days _____	If LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. _____ min.
8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BDOCKKEEPER, etc. <u>retired</u>		11. Total time (year) spent in this occupation <u>life</u>
9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc. <u>farmer</u>		
10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year) <u>5 years</u>		

MOTHER FATHER	12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country) <u>Kent Co md</u>
	13. NAME <u>Dave Carter</u>
	14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country) <u>L. G. county</u>
	15. MAIDEN NAME <u>Elizabeth Gordon</u>
	16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country) <u>Kent Co md</u>
	17. INFORMANT <u>John W. Carter</u> (Address) <u>Gamberville</u>
18. BURIAL, CREMATION, DR REMDVAL Place <u>Chesterton</u> Date <u>10-26, 1932</u>	
19. UNOERTAKER <u>Good Vin. H.</u> (Address) <u>Church Hill Md</u>	
20. FILED <u>Oct-21-1932</u> <u>W. V. Hicks</u> Registrar.	

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

10 19 1932  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from 1-1 1928, to 10-19 1932

I last saw him alive on 10-17 1932; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at 5:00 a.m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

organic heart trouble Date of death \_\_\_\_\_

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

heart failure

Name of operation \_\_\_\_\_ Date of \_\_\_\_\_  
What test confirmed diagnosis? \_\_\_\_\_ Was there an autopsy? \_\_\_\_\_

23. If death was due to external causes (VIDLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? \_\_\_\_\_ Date of injury \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

Where did injury occur? \_\_\_\_\_  
(Specify city or town, county and State)  
Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of Injury \_\_\_\_\_

Nature of injury \_\_\_\_\_

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? \_\_\_\_\_

If so, specify \_\_\_\_\_

(Signed) H. P. G. Gland(Address) Chesterton Md

M. D.

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<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>
Other contributory causes of importance:	
<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>

Example II

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<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>
Other contributory causes of importance:	
<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>

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In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as "employee," "worker," "operative," etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as spinner, weaver, etc.

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as "store," "factory," "mill," etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc. Avoid the term "laborer" when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word "mechanic," but give the exact occupation, as carpenter, painter, machinist, etc. Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a salesman and not a clerk.

**Statement of cause of death.**—Cause of death means the disease, injury, or complication which causes death, not the mode of dying, e. g., heart failure, asphyxia, asthenia, etc. As principal cause name the disease or injury causing death. As related causes, name earlier merbid conditions, if any, related to the principal cause and any important complication of the principal cause. Under other contributory causes of importance, name other important diseases or injuries. Examples:

## Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
<i>Arteriosclerosis</i>	<i>1915</i>
<i>Chronic interstitial nephritis</i>	<i>1921</i>
<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>
Other contributory causes of importance:	
<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>

## Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>
Other contributory causes of importance:	
<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

11042

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County HighVillage or City GeorgetownNo. 1Registration Dist. No. 206St. 1

Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred 2 yrs mos. 2 mos How long in U. S. if of foreign birth? 2 mos ds. 2 mos ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No. GeorgetownSt. 1Ward. 1

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX <u>Male</u>	4. COLOR OR RACE <u>Black</u>	5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word) <u>Single</u>
5a. If married, widowed, or divorced HUSBAND of (or) WIFE of		

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) <u>Oct. 9, 1931</u>			
7. AGE	Years	Months	Days
			If LESS than 1 day, <u>2</u> hrs. or <u>2</u> min.

OCCUPATION	8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc. <u>none</u>
	9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc. <u>none</u>
	10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year) <u>none</u>
	11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation <u>none</u>

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country)	<u>Georgetown</u> <u>Highland</u>
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FATHER	13. NAME <u>None</u>
	14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country)
	15. MAIDEN NAME <u>None</u>

MOTHER	16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country)
	<u>None</u>

17. INFORMANT (Address)	<u>None</u>
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18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL Place <u>Georgetown</u> Date <u>Oct. 11</u> , 19 <u>31</u>
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19. UNDERTAKER (Address)	<u>Asbury Henry</u> <u>Chestnut Lane</u>
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20. FILED	<u>Oct 10, 1931</u>
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21. DATE OF DEATH	<u>Oct 10</u> , 19 <u>31</u>
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22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from	<u>Oct 10</u> , 19 <u>31</u>
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23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:	<u>Probably Septicemia</u>
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24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?	<u>No</u>
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## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH	<u>Oct 10</u> , 19 <u>31</u>
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22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from	<u>Oct 10</u> , 19 <u>31</u>
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I last saw him alive on	<u>Oct 10</u> , 19 <u>31</u>
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to have occurred on the date stated above, at <u>1 A.M.</u>
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The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
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<u>Septicemia</u>	<u>Oct 7</u>
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<u>Septicemia</u>	<u>Oct 7</u>
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Other Contributory Causes of importance:	<u>Probably Septicemia</u>
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Name of operation	Date of
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What test confirmed diagnosis?	Was there an autopsy?
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23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:	<u>Probably Septicemia</u>
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Accident, suicide, or homicide?	Date of injury
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Where did injury occur?	(Specify city or town, county and State)
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Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.	<u>None</u>
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Manner of injury	Nature of injury
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24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?	<u>No</u>
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If so, specify	<u>No</u>
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(Signed) <u>Frank N. Smith</u>	M. D.
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(Address) <u>Georgetown</u>	
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# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Statement of occupation.—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. Make some entry in this section for every person aged 10 years or over. If the deceased had retired from business, report the occupation prior to retirement. Children not gainfully employed may be returned as at school or at home. For a woman whose only occupation was that of home housework, write housewife in answer to Question 8 and own home in answer to Question 9. For a person engaged in domestic service for wages, however, designate the occupation by the appropriate terms, as servant—private family, cook—hotel, etc. For a person who had no occupation whatever write none.

To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
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## Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

*Arteriosclerosis*

*Chronic interstitial nephritis*

*Cerebral hemorrhage*

Date of onset

*1915*

*1921*

*July 5, 1927*

Other contributory causes of importance:

*Gallstones*

*May 1, 1923*

## Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

*Attack of epilepsy*

*Run over by street car*

*Peritonitis*

Date of onset

*1 week ago*

*1 week ago*

*3 days ago*

Other contributory causes of importance:

*Gastroenteritis*

*1 year*

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN



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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

11043

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Kent Co.Village or City Millington, Md.Registration Dist. No. 200

No.

St.,

Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

yrs. 8

mos.

ds.

How long in U. S. if of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

Delia Cone

(a) Residence: No.

St.,

Ward.

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

Female

4. COLOR OR RACE

White5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED (write the word)Widow5a. If married, widowed, or divorced  
HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE ofJohn Cone

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

Jan - 1839

7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than

93Jan121 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs.  
or \_\_\_\_\_ min.

OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular  
kind of work done, as SPINNER,  
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.Domestic9. Industry or business in which  
work was done, as SILK MILL,  
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Data deceased last worked at  
this occupation (month and  
year) 190272 yrs.11. Total time (years)  
spent in this  
occupation Life12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)Hudson City  
N. Y.

13. NAME

Augustus Stickles14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)N. Y.

15. MAIDEN NAME

Margaret Unknown16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)Unknown

17. INFORMANT

(Address)

Mrs. Eva Matthews  
Millington, Md.

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Millington, Md.

Date

Oct. 24, 1932

19. UNDERTAKER

(Address)

John G. Tobin  
Millington, Md.

20. FILED

Oct 24, 1932Merritt Bruce  
Deputy Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH

Oct.22,

193

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(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

Oct. 20, 1932, toOct. 22, 1932I last saw him alive on Oct. 22, 1932; death is saidto have occurred on the date stated above, at 5:30 P. m.The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance  
were as follows:Broncho. Pneumonia

Date of onset

Oct 20, 32

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

ExposureCholera

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy?

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide?

Date of Injury

19

Where did injury occur?

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? no

If so, specify

(Signed)

(Address)

A. F. Copeland

M. D.

# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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Example I

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<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>
Other contributory causes of importance:	
<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>
Other contributory causes of importance:	
<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

11044

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County KentVillage or City Broad NeckNo. Chesestown #3Registration Dist. No. 202

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. How long in U. S. if of foreign birth? \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

Harry Hickerson

(a) Residence: No. \_\_\_\_\_

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

Male

4. COLOR OR RACE

White5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED (write the word)Single5a. If married, widowed, or divorced  
HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE of

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

Oct. 24, 1932

7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than  
1 day, 13 hrs.  
or \_\_\_\_\_ min.

OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular  
kind of work done, as SPINNER,  
SAWYER, BODKKEEPER, etc.9. Industry or business in which  
work was done, as SILK MILL,  
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Date deceased last worked at  
this occupation (month and  
year)11. Total time (years)  
spent in this  
occupation12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)Broad Neck

FATHER

13. NAME

Benjamin F. Hickerson14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)Kent Co

MOTHER

15. MAIDEN NAME

Mary E. Thomas16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)Virginia

17. INFORMANT

(Address)

Benjamin F. Hickerson  
Chesestown #3

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Chesestown

Date

Oct. 25, 1932

19. UNDERTAKER

(Address)

Charles L. Hoad  
Chesestown

20. FILED

Oct 25, 1932W. F. Hicks

Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

Oct. 24  
(Month) (Day)1932  
(Year)

22.

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

Oct 24, 1932, to same, 1932

I last saw him alive on \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at 7:00 P.m.The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of Importance  
were as follows:Premature Birth

Date of onset

Other Contributory Causes of Importance:

Name of operation \_\_\_\_\_ Date of \_\_\_\_\_

What test confirmed diagnosis? \_\_\_\_\_ Was there an autopsy? \_\_\_\_\_

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? \_\_\_\_\_ Date of injury \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

Where did injury occur? \_\_\_\_\_ (Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury \_\_\_\_\_

Nature of injury \_\_\_\_\_

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

(Signed)

Frank W. Smith

M. D.

(Address)

Chesestown

# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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*Arteriosclerosis*

*1915*

*Chronic interstitial nephritis*

*1921*

*Cerebral hemorrhage*

*July 5, 1927*

BUREAU V. S.

Other contributory causes of importance:

*Gallstones*

*May 1, 1923*

## Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

*Attack of epilepsy*

*1 week ago*

*Run over by street car*

*1 week ago*

*Peritonitis*

*3 days ago*

Other contributory causes of importance:

*Gastroenteritis*

*1 year*

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 213

<sup>1</sup> PLACE OF DEATH  
County Kent

Village or City Rock Hall (No. ....)

St. .... Ward) (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

<sup>2</sup> FULL NAME Stillborn Higgins

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX mal 4 COLOR OR RACE W 5 ~~SINGLE~~, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH 10 24 1932  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE Stillborn IF LESS than 1 day, .... hrs. .... yrs. .... mos. .... ds. or .... min.?

8 OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work .... (b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) ....

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Kent Co Md

10 NAME OF FATHER James Higgins

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Kent Co Md

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Delma Watson

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) Kent Co Md

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Mother  
(Address) Rock Hall

15 Filed 10-25 1932 B. Fred Dardling  
Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH October 24, 1932  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from 192 to 192

that I last saw him alive on 192

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Stillborn

(Duration) .... yrs. .... mos. .... ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) .... yrs. .... mos. .... ds.

(Signed) H. P. Chapman M. D.  
10-11 1932 (Address) Chester

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death .... yrs. .... mos. .... ds. In the State .... yrs. .... mos. .... ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Wesley Chapel Cem DATE OF BURIAL Oct. 25, 1932

20 UNDERTAKER James Higgins (father) ADDRESS Rock Hall

MARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING  
WRITE PLAINLY WITH UNFADING INK--THIS IS A PERMANENT RECORD

N.B.--Every item of information should be carefully supplied. ACE should be stated EXACTLY, PHYSICIANS should state CAUSE OF DEATH in plain terms so that it may be properly classified. Exact statement of OCCUPATION is very important. See instructions on back of certificate.

# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

(Approved by U. S. Census and American Public  
Health Association.)

**Statement of Occupation**—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. The question applies to each and every person, irrespective of age. For many occupations a single word or term on the first line will be sufficient, e. g., *Farmer or Planter, Physician, Composer, Artist, Locomotive engineer, Civil engineer, Stationary fireman*, etc. But in many cases, especially in industrial employments, it is necessary to know (a) the kind of work and also (b) the nature of the business or industry, and therefore an additional line is provided for the latter statement; it should be used only when needed. As examples: (a) *Spinner*, (b) *Cotton mill*; (a) *Salesman*, (b) *Grocery*; (a) *Foreman*, (b) *Automobile factory*. The material worked on may form part of the second statement. Never return "Laborer," "Foreman," "Manager," "Dealer," etc., without more precise specification as *Day laborer, Farm laborer, Laborer—Coal mine*, etc. Women at home, who are engaged in the duties of the household only (not paid *Housekeepers* who receive a definite salary), may be entered as *Housewife, Housework*, or *At Home*, and children, not gainfully employed, as *At school*, or *At home*. Care should be taken to report specifically the occupations of persons engaged in domestic service for wages, as *Servant, Cook, Housemaid*, etc. If the occupation has been changed or given up on account of the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, state occupation at beginning of illness. If retired from business, that fact may be indicated thus: *Farmer (retired 6 yrs)*. For persons who have no occupation whatever, write *None*.

**Statement of Cause of Death**—Name, first, the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH (the primary affection with respect to time and causation), using always the same accepted term for the same disease. Examples: *Cardiospinal fever* (the only definite synonym is "Epidemic cerebrospinal meningitis"); *Diphtheria* (avoid use of "Croup"); *Typhoid fever* (never report "Typhoid Pneumonia"); *Scarlet fever* (never report "Typhoid Pneumonia"); *Scarlet pneumonia*. *Bronchopneumonia* ("Pneumonia,"

unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs, meningitis, peritonaeum*, etc., *Carcinoma, Struma*, etc., of . . . . . (name organ; "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Measles; Whooping cough; Chronic nodular heart disease; Chronic interstitial nephritis*, etc. The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Measles (disease causing death), 23 ds.; Bronchopneumonia (secondary), 10 ds.* Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthenia," "Anemia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile" etc.), "Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Haemorrhage," "Insanition," "Marasmus," "Old Age," "Shock," "Trauma," "Weakness" etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage as "PUERPERAL, septicaemia," "PUERPERAL peritonitis," etc. State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. For VIOLENT DEATHS state MEANS OF INJURY and qualify as ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL, or as probably such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning; Struck by falling train—accident; Revolver wound of hand—homicide; Poisoned by carbolic acid—probably suicide*. The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis, tetanus*) may be stated under the head of "contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)

If this certificate is looked over thoroughly and all questions answered in detail, it will prevent further correspondence. A little data is essential and must be obtained before the certificate is permanently filed.

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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

11046

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Kent Co.Village or City nr. ChestertownRegistration Dist. No. 202

No.

St.

Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred 50 yrs. mos. ds. How long in U.S. if of foreign birth? yrs. mos. ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

Robert Gleason Nicholson(a) Residence: No. Chestertown, Md. Ward.

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

## 3. SEX

Male

## 4. COLOR OR RACE

White

## 5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word)

Widower5a. If married, widowed, or divorced  
HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE ofLaura Amanda Nicholson

## 6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

Nov. 5th 1847

## 7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than  
1 day, hrs.  
or min.841124

## OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular  
kind of work done, as SPINNER,  
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.9. Industry or business in which  
work was done, as SILK MILL,  
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Date deceased last worked at  
this occupation (month and  
year)FarmerTo death11. Total time (years)  
spent in this  
occupation50

## 12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Maryland

## FATHER

## 13. NAME

Robert Nicholson

## 14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

England

## MOTHER

## 15. MAIDEN NAME

Sarah Sophia Burgess

## 16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Delaware

## 17. INFORMANT

(Address)

Bessie M. NicholsonChestertown R 40

## 18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Chestertown

Date

Nov 187, 1932

## 19. UNDERTAKER

(Address)

Chas. L. Dodd

## 20. FILED

Oct 21, 1933 20th Hicks

Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

Oct. 29, 1932  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

## 22. I HEREBY CERTIFY That I attended deceased from

Oct 1, 1932 to Oct 27, 1932I last saw him alive on Oct 27, 1932; death is saidto have occurred on the date stated above, at 11:40 A.M.The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance  
were as follows:MyocarditisArteriosclerosis

Date of onset

about1 year

Other Contributory Causes of Importance:

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy?

## 23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? Date of injury

Where did injury occur? (Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Nature of injury

## 24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

(Signed)

(Address)

Chas. L. Dodd  
Chestertown M. D.

# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as “employee,” “worker,” “operative,” etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as *spinner, weaver*, etc.

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as “store,” “factory,” “mill,” etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as *grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill*, etc.

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as *civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer*, etc. Avoid the term “laborer” when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word “mechanic,” but give the exact occupation, as *carpenter, painter, machinist*, etc. Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a *salesman* and not a clerk.

**Statement of cause of death.**—Cause of death means the disease, injury, or complication which causes death, not the mode of dying, e. g., heart failure, asphyxia, asthenia, etc. As principal cause name the disease or injury causing death. As related causes, name earlier morbid conditions, if any, related to the principal cause and any important complication of the principal cause. Under other contributory causes of importance, name other important diseases or injuries. Examples:

## Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

*Arteriosclerosis*

*Chronic interstitial nephritis*

*Cerebral hemorrhage*

Date of onset

*1915*

*1921*

*July 5, 1927*

Other contributory causes of importance:

*Gallstones*

*May 1, 1923*

## Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

*Attack of epilepsy*

*Run over by street car*

*Peritonitis*

Date of onset

*1 week ago*

*1 week ago*

*3 days ago*

Other contributory causes of importance:

*Gastroenteritis*

*1 year*

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

11047

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County KentVillage or City nr. Rock Hall R. F. D. No. \_\_\_\_\_Registration Dist. No. 203

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. How long in U.S. if of foreign birth? \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

Alice May Parsons(a) Residence: No. Rock Hall, R. F. D. Ward \_\_\_\_\_

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX <u>Female</u>	4. COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word) <u>Married</u>
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5a. If married, widowed, or divorced  
HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE of Wm. Edward Parsons6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) April 6, 1866

7. AGE	Years	Months	Days	If LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. or _____ min.
	<u>66</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>0</u>	

OCCUPATION	8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.	11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation
	9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc.	
	10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year)	
	<u>Housewife</u>	

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Maryland  
(State or country)13. NAME J. Lewin. Crew.14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Maryland  
(State or country)15. MAIDEN NAME Harriett Hurley16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Maryland  
(State or country)17. INFORMANT Mrs. Harvey Bruce  
(Address) Rock Hall, Md.18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL  
Place St. Pauls Date 10/8, 193219. UNDERTAKER Chas L. Dodd  
(Address) Chestertown, Md.20. FILED 10/7, 1932 B. L. D. Dunning  
Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

Oct. 6, 1932  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

Oct 6, 1932 to Oct 6, 1932I last saw her alive on Oct 6, 1932 death is saidto have occurred on the date stated above, at 9a m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

Val. Heart disease  
& General debility

Date of onset

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Name of operation \_\_\_\_\_ Date of \_\_\_\_\_

What test confirmed diagnosis? \_\_\_\_\_ Was there an autopsy? \_\_\_\_\_

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? \_\_\_\_\_ Date of injury \_\_\_\_\_, 1932

Where did injury occur? \_\_\_\_\_ (Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury \_\_\_\_\_

Nature of injury \_\_\_\_\_

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

(Signed)

(Address)

Dr. O. Selby  
Rock Hall M. D.

# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as "employee," "worker," "operative," etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as spinner, weaver, etc.

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as "store," "factory," "mill," etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc. Avoid the term "laborer" when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word "mechanic," but give the exact occupation, as carpenter, painter, machinist, etc. Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a salesman and not a clerk.

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## Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
<i>Arteriosclerosis</i>	<i>1915</i>
<i>Chronic interstitial nephritis</i>	<i>1921</i>
<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>
Other contributory causes of importance:	
<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>

## Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>
Other contributory causes of importance:	
<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

11048  
201

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Kent Registration Dist. No. 3  
 Village or City Betterton Md No. 160 St. 3 Ward 3  
 Length of residence in city or town where death occurred 3 yrs. 10 mos. ds. How long in U. S. if of foreign birth? 3 yrs. 16 mos. ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

Loris Martha Rasin  
 (a) Residence: No. Betterton Crescon St. Ave Ward. 3  
 (Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX <u>Female</u>	4. COLOR OR RACE <u>W</u>	5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word) <u>Single</u>
5a. If married, widowed, or divorced HUSBAND of (or) WIFE of		
6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) <u>Jan 10 - 1929</u>		
7. AGE <u>3</u>	Years <u>1929</u>	Months <u>9</u> Days <u>29</u> 1 day, <u>16</u> hrs. or <u>16</u> min.
8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.		
9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc.		
10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year)		11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Baltimore  
 (State or country) Maryland

13. NAME Loton H Rasin

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Kent Co  
 (State or country) Maryland

15. MAIDEN NAME Mae H. Rabin

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Baltimore  
 (State or country) Maryland

17. INFORMANT Loton Rasin  
 (Address) Betterton Md.

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL  
 Place Still Pond Date Oct 28 1932

19. UNOERTAKER B. R. Trullinger  
 (Address) Still Pond Md.

20. FILED Oct 28 32 J. M. McLaughlin  
 Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH Oct 26, 1932  
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

1932 to Oct 26, 1932  
 I last saw her dead alive on Oct 26, 1932; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at 4 P. M.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

Concussion of Brain

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Fall of 80 ft in well

Name of operation \_\_\_\_\_ Date of \_\_\_\_\_

What test confirmed diagnosis? Examination Was there an autopsy? No

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? accident Date of injury Oct 26 1932

Where did injury occur? Oct 26 in 4 P. M.

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

at Home

Manner of injury Fall in well

Nature of injury Concussion of Brain

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

(Signed) L. P. Trullinger M. D.

(Address) Still Pond Md.

# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

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In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as "store," "factory," "mill," etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.

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Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
<i>Arteriosclerosis</i>	<i>1915</i>
<i>Chronic interstitial nephritis</i>	<i>1921</i>
<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>
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Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>
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ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN



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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

11049

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County KentVillage or City Near Chestertown, Md.No. 53Registration Dist. No. 204

St. \_\_\_\_\_

Ward \_\_\_\_\_

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

How long in U.S. if of foreign birth? \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No. Salma, Md.

St. \_\_\_\_\_

Ward \_\_\_\_\_

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX <u>Male</u>	4. COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word) <u>single</u>
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5a. If married, widowed, or divorced  
HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE of \_\_\_\_\_6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) August 16/74

7. AGE

Years 08Months 1Days 19If LESS than  
1 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs.  
or \_\_\_\_\_ min.

OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc. Laborer

9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc. \_\_\_\_\_

10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year) 2 years

11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation \_\_\_\_\_

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country) Cecil Co. Md.

FATHER

13. NAME Wm. J. Stradley14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country) Cecil Co. Md.

MOTHER

15. MAIDEN NAME Emma Redgors16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country) Cecil Co. Md.17. INFORMANT Charlie E. Stradley

(Address) \_\_\_\_\_

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place Chestertown, Md.Date Oct 7

1932

19. UNDERTAKER John H. Haffner(Address) Chestertown, Md.20. FILED Oct 5

1932

F. H. Smith

Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

Oct. 4

1932

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

No recent Med. attendant22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from Returned home Aug 11/32 fromHospital in Wilmington, Del.I last saw him alive on \_\_\_\_\_ day, \_\_\_\_\_under care of Dr. E. B. Jones, Salma, Md.The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:me this information: -Carcinoma of SpleenThis diagnosis made June 1, 1932.Estimated date of onset, June, 1930.

Other Contributory Causes of importance: \_\_\_\_\_

Abdominal Section (Explanatory)

Name of operation \_\_\_\_\_ Date of June 12/32

What test confirmed diagnosis? \_\_\_\_\_ Was there an autopsy? \_\_\_\_\_

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following: \_\_\_\_\_

Accident, suicide, or homicide? \_\_\_\_\_ Date of injury \_\_\_\_\_

Where did injury occur? Wilmington, Del.

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury \_\_\_\_\_

Nature of injury \_\_\_\_\_

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? No

If so, specify \_\_\_\_\_

(Signed) Harry L. Dack, Cor. M. D.(Address) Chestertown, Md.

# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Statement of occupation.—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. Make some entry in this section for every person aged 10 years or over. If the deceased had retired from business, report the occupation prior to retirement. Children not gainfully employed may be returned as at school or at home. For a woman whose only occupation was that of home housework, write housewife in answer to Question 8 and own home in answer to Question 9. For a person engaged in domestic service for wages, however, designate the occupation by the appropriate terms, as servant—private family, cook—hotel, etc. For a person who had no occupation whatever write none.

To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as "employee," "worker," "operative," etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as spinner, weaver, etc.

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as "store," "factory," "mill," etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc. Avoid the term "laborer" when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word "mechanic," but give the exact occupation, as carpenter, painter, machinist, etc. Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a salesman and not a clerk.

Statement of cause of death.—Cause of death means the disease, injury, or complication which causes death, not the mode of dying, e. g., heart failure, asphyxia, asthenia, etc. As principal cause name the disease or injury causing death. As related causes, name earlier morbid conditions, if any, related to the principal cause and any important complication of the principal cause. Under other contributory causes of importance, name other important diseases or injuries. Examples:

Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
<i>Arteriosclerosis</i>	<i>1915</i>
<i>Chronic interstitial nephritis</i>	<i>1921</i>
<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>
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Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>
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ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN